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U-boats and wastefulness are both a menace to the allies.

Napoleon said "An army fights on its belly." Waste of food over here will mean shorter rations over there.

Oran Emberton, Glasgow, severely wounded, and McKinley Pigg, Louisa, missing in action, were Kentuckians in Saturday's casualty list.

The figures on 5200 wounded in France, in the American forces, show that 532 have died of wounds or one in ten.

Alabama, where Italian activity has started, is across the Adriatic sea from the southern end, or heel of Italy, and the line that has begun to move extends across Serbia to Salonika, Greece. It is known as the Macedonian front.

"Changes in Russia are imminent," says the Frankfurter Zeitung. "If the entente's enterprise should lead to the collapse of the present government, then not much will remain of the peace treaties. Our problems would then become more complicated than ever. Let us hope that in the solution of them the sword will play as little a role as possible. Nevertheless the central powers on no account can permit the entente to find fresh resources in the east."

The program for the midsummer meeting of the Kentucky Press Association at Crab Orchard Springs July 18, 19 and 20 includes among the speakers, F. M. Sackett, state food administrator; Hon. W. J. Price, minister to Panama, and James Speed, editor of the Pan-American. Other addresses will come from members of the association, but it seems next to impossible to shut out some outsiders. J. C. Alcock, secretary, announces that social features will not be lacking to make this year's meeting come up to the high standard of former years.

German newspapers are now pointing to Gen. Savinkoff, who was minister in the Kerensky cabinet, as the man behind the von Mirbach plot which is being gradually developed by the Teuton press into a great anti-German movement backed by all those men whom Germany has found to be a hindrance in her plans of aggression in Russia. A Moscow telegram circulated by the Wolf news bureau, of Berlin, says:

"Savinkoff is considered to be responsible for the deed. He is, moreover, said to be closely connected with the Czech-Slovak and social revolutionary movements. His whereabouts are unknown."

**SOME OF WASHINGTON'S NEW GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS**

The greater part of Washington's mushroom war growth in government buildings is shown in this photograph from the Washington monument. Only two buildings in the picture are permanent, the Pan-American building on the right and the Lincoln Memorial (upper left). The completed buildings house the council of national defense, the food and fuel administration, the war trade board and a part of the quartermaster corps of the army. Of the two big, unfinished buildings in the center, the nearest will be occupied by the navy and the other by the army. These are of concrete construction, while most of the others are made of wood and flimsy.

**EDITH CAVELL'S DEATH  
AVENGED BY A BELGIAN**

The secret story of his tragedy of Edith Cavell is told in the July number of the Red Cross magazine and its unraveling of this world's mystery makes it one of the wonder tales of the war. The author's graphic description of the way the English nurse was betrayed to the Germans, how her murder was avenged and what happened to her avenger should be authentic.

The signer of the article is T. Topping, who was a private secretary to Brand Whitlock, American minister to Belgium. He was stationed in Brussels where took place the gruesome incident he has incorporated into "The Avenging of Edith Cavell."

Miss Cavell's arrest, he says, created hardly a ripple among the many gloomy tragedies daily enacted throughout Belgium until—

"Brussels awoke to find herself face to face with a new horror. It was October 12, 1915. About 5:30 that morning, gentle, little Miss Cavell had been led out into the yard of St. Giles prison and wantonly shot down. And blood red offices, posted all over the walls of the city, shrieked the news of the abhorrent deed to a dismayed population."

"It soon became an open secret that Miss Cavell had been apprehended and convicted through the denunciation of one she had befriended. His name was freely mentioned among the coterie of well informed Belgians who assembled at various meeting places in commune of Ixelles."

"He was called Van der—, no I shall not mention his name."

"He was a young man of military age and had habits and the emoluments received from his work in one of the departments of public service of the city were inadequate to gratify his expensive tastes and satiate his craving for pleasure."

"The Germans had become aware of a leak across the frontier through which filtered numerous young men capable of bearing arms against them and anxious to do so. Van der—, affecting profound patriotism and professing deep hatred for the violators of his country went to Miss Cavell and requested to be helped into Holland. He was introduced to Baucq (the man who was shot at the same time as Miss Cavell) and all arrangements were made for his passage into the Netherlands. On the eve of his departure, when he penetrated the secrets of the organization Van der— repaired to the commandant, and the next day Miss Cavell, Baucq and Sereriu were arrested. Incidentally, that same day Van der— was buying wine for two women in a cafe near the Place de Brouckere."

The indignation that swept the Belgians when these facts became known took form in the heart of "a mild inoffensive looking little chap, a beardless youth of 25," Louis Brill. He constituted himself her avenger. Brill had escaped once to France but had returned and was in hiding. He possessed two automatics, though it was known to be death to be caught with firearms. He started a chum one night by exclaiming:

"One of the pills (prunseux) in this Brownie is for the man who betrayed Miss Cavell and I shall never rest until I get him."

"Days, weeks passed, and the betrayer of the heroic English nurse continued to walk the streets of Brussels with apparent impunity."

But the long patient shadow of Van der— went on. It could be done only at night, as Brill did not dare

**NINE GOOD REASONS WHY LIQUOR MANUFACTURE  
AND SALE SHOULD STOP IMMEDIATELY.**

The following figures are from the Anti-Prohibition Manual for 1918, published by the Publicity Department of the National Association of Distillers and Wholesale Dealers. According to this Manual, these figures represent the value of farm products consumed by the liquor traffic:

Barley .....	\$55,236,641
Corn .....	30,924,335
Wheat .....	869,938
Rice .....	7,288,786
Hops .....	11,155,215
Rye .....	4,604,476
Molasses .....	2,056,626
Fruit .....	731,835
Other products .....	626,119

Each of which is a very good reason why, for the period of the war, the saloons should be put out of business.—American Issue.

to leave his room during the day."

**Betrayer is Shot to Death.**

Finally, one night, the avenger got his victim. The body still warm, was picked up in the street.

"It was the body of Van der—. When searched at the police station besides a goodly sum of money in German bills of large denomination there was found among other papers a little perfumed note written in feminine hand and which read:

"I will meet you this evening at P., near Park Josephat."

"There is no doubt that more than 100 persons in Brussels among them at least ten members of the Belgian police force, knew who had committed this murder, or rather who had executed his sentence. But weeks went on and no arrests were made. And so no surprise was felt when one day a notice was posted that 'owing to the apathy displayed by the Belgian police' the case had been taken out of their hands and would be handled by the German military police."

The Germans finally discovered Brill's hiding place and tried to capture him one afternoon.

"Brill, warned in time, clamored to the roof with two plain clothes men in hot pursuit and blazing away at him. After a run of a few hundred feet over roofs he reached the edge of one overlooking a lane of about twelve feet wide and without hesitation the fugitive leaped across it landing safely on another house a story lower and eluded his pursuers who looked about, hesitated, consulted one another and could not muster up sufficient courage to take the plunge. Brill made his way to the street and was gone."

He even succeeded in getting away from Brussels. Then he returned to thank the man who had warned him, fell into a trap and was captured. The Kaiser's minions lost no time in sentencing him to death. His parents were waiting outside the walls of the prison one drizzly morning when the dawn was shattered by—"a volley, the crash of twelve rifles, a final pistol shot, and who had been Louis Brill lay on the wet grass close to the earth that was soon to swallow him forever."

"Brill's father died of a broken heart a few weeks later, after having been refused permission to give the body of his child a Christian burial."

**LIST OF PRISONERS.**

Names of seventy-two additional American soldiers held in prison camps in Germany were announced last night by the War Department. One Kentuckian is in the list.

Do not stint the soldiers in the trenches by wasting food in the camps.

**REX THEATRE  
REDECORATED**

THROUGHOUT AND MADE MORE ATTRACTIVE THAN EVER—WORK ON PRINCESS BEING RUSHED.

In order to demonstrate more fully its appreciation of the patronage of its picture show houses, the Crescent Amusement Company has about completed the repainting and decorating of the Rex Theatre in this city. The entire interior of the house has been gone over carefully and treated in the most careful and artistic manner and paint and varnish have not been used sparingly.

The ceiling overhead is painted a bluish grey, the large side panels treated with old rose, and the borders are tinted a beautiful light green. The foyer is finished in a deep green wainscoting with old rose above. The woodwork is a deep cherry red which is in perfect harmony with the other decorations. The decoration moulding and swinging lights have been retouched a glossy white and some new lighting and a big exhaust fan have been installed.

Movie goers will find The Rex now a more attractive and comfortable place than ever and no doubt will appreciate the efforts of Mr. Stockley, local manager for the owners to provide his patrons with everything including high class pictures, right up to the minute and the best business will afford.

In the meantime, The Princess is fast being rebuilt and will be finer and handsomer than ever.

**Mark Twain's Democracy.**

When Mark Twain published his "A Connecticut Yankee at King Arthur's Court," he made a laughing stock of evil institutions, and of the deluded mortals who upheld them. He put himself on record in a way that really did not need the events of today to vindicate.

"There is plenty good enough material for a republic," he said, "in the most degraded people that ever existed—even in the Russians—plenty of manhood in them—even in the Germans. If one could but force it out of its timid and suspicious privacy, to overthrow and trample in the mud any throne that was ever set up and any nobility that ever supported it."

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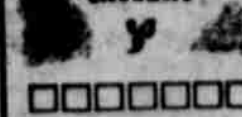
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LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R. R. SOUTH.

No. 53.....5:44 a. m.  
No. 55 Accommodation.....6:45 a. m.  
No. 95.....9:20 a. m.  
No. 51.....5:20 p. m.  
No. 93.....12:46 a. m.

NORTH.

No. 92.....5:17 a. m.  
No. 52.....10:00 a. m.  
No. 94.....7:55 p. m.  
No. 56 Accommodation.....9:00 p. m.  
No. 54.....10:19 p. m.  
W. N. CHANDLER, Ticket Agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. NORTH BOUND.

332 leaves at 5:35 a. m. for Princeton, Paducah, Cairo and Evansville.

302 leaves at 11 a. m. for Princeton, connects for East and West at 324 leaves at 8:05 for Princeton.

SOUTH BOUND.

321 arrives from Princeton at 7:10 a. m.  
301 arrives from East and West at 6:45 p. m.

TENNESSEE CENTRAL R. R. EAST BOUND.

12 leaves for Nashville at 7:15 a. m.  
14 leaves for Nashville at 4:15 p. m.

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